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Subject: Communication of 5/17/05 re: Office Action:  
Application No. 10/720,648

Dear Ms. Woodward:

Per the subject communication, enclosed is an Amendment addressing the Specification Objections and Claim Rejections described in the 5/17/05 communication and a replacement of page 7 of the Application.

Please let me know if you need any further information from me at this time.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Donald H. Martin".

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**Amendment A**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, District of Columbia 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 5/17/05 please amend the above application as follows:

**SPECIFICATIONS**

1. Specification Objections

After the section of the application "**SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION**", page 4 and prior to the section "**DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION**", page 5, insert